

## **VRA RESCUE NSW LTD**



## Wagga Wagga Rescue Squad

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Mr Peter Thompson
General Manager
Wagga Wagga City Council
Via email Council@wagga.nsw.gov.au , accountsrecievable@wagga.nsw.gov.au

Dear Mr Thompson,

It has come to my attention that the Wagga Wagga Rescue Squad has an outstanding account for the lease fees covering the Squads building, I apologise for slowness of this letter, I thought the issue had been dealt with by previous Squad management.

The previous lease had always been written off under council resolution No. 1099 of 24 August 1998.

The Squad understands and recognises that this was out of the ordinary and is not part of Wagga city council normal operations when dealing with leases like this one. However the Squad only exists to assist the Wagga Wagga community, receives very little funding, almost all funds are raised from community activities or donated by community organisations, and provides a 24/7 emergency service, that is provided on a 100% volunteer basis

Historically the Squad has assisted the Wagga Wagga community for 70 years, we hope you find the volunteer service provided valuable at this small cost and are able to take care of the account as per the previous council resolution.

I also note that in 2019 the Squad did pay the account out of error, it would be highly appreciated if this previous payment could be refunded as well.

Feel free to contact myself if you require any further information or input, I can be contacted on 0428312583.

Yours sincerely

Martin Gregory Squad Treasurer Wagga Wagga Rescue Squad